GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2163
ANSWERED ON:16.12.2003
SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE IN RURAL AREAS
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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has a scheme to assist in the building of stadia in rural areas and small towns ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ;

(c) whether no stadia have come up in any Municipality with the assistance of the Government in the last five years ;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether the funds offered is totally in-adequate ; and

(f) the steps the Government propose to take to improve the present scheme and to make it more viable ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)

(a) & (b) : Yes , Sir. Under the Scheme of Grants for Creation of Sports Infrastructure, Central assistance on matching share basis is provided for creation of various sports facilities including stadia at various places including rural areas, municipalities etc., subject to the receipt of viable proposals from the State Government.

(c) to (e) : No, Sir. Admissible Central assistance of Rs.2813.89 lakhs was released for construction of 182 Stadia in various States including Municipilaties during the period 1998-99 to 2002-03. The State-wise details of these projects have been given in the enclosed Annexure. Under the scheme referred to above, all projects are funded on a cost-sharing formula of 50 : 50 between the Centre and the States/NGO except in case of Special Category States, where the cost sharing is on 75 : 25 basis.

(f) The Scheme is under revision to make it more viable.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) TO (e) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESITON NO.2163 FC 16.12.2003 BY PROF. UMMAREDDY VENKATESWARLU REGARDING SPORTS INFRASTRUCURE IN RURAL AREAS.

(Rs. In Lakhs)

Sl. No.	State	1998-99		1999-2000		2000-2001		2001-2002		2002-2003	
		No.of Stadia	Grant Released	No.of Stadia	Grant Released	No.of Stadia	Grant Released	No.of Stadia	Grant Released	No.of Released	Grant Released
1	Delhi	1	8.11	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.52	0	0.00
2.	Arunachal Pr.	1	15.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	56.85	3	149.69
3.	Andhra Pr.	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	100.00	1	30.00	1	13.74
4.	Assam	1	2.00	1	1.20	1	23.55	2	50.00	3	73.50
5.	Bihar	1	19.29	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
6.	Gujarat	1	10.62	1	40.0	1	1.18	0	0.00	0	0.00
7	Haryana	2	7.506	0	0.00	1	10.80	2	37.00	1	1.20

8.	Himachal Pr.	2	29.266	1	10.00	2	50.832	1	27.00	1	5.25
9.	Karnataka	5	21.025	6	82.427	3	45.541	4	31.45	14	82.198
10.	Kerala	1	0.66	3	5.922	3	21.585	1	1.66	0	0.00
11.	Madhya Pr.	0	0.00	4	41.47	0	0.00	4	57.078	2	42.00
12.	Maharashtra	3	26.00	2	8.048	1	0.50	0	0.00	2	60.00
13.	Manipur	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	40.00	2	30.00	5	62.50
14.	Mizoram	9	21.549	0	0.00	8	112.50	0	0.00	6	53.00
15.	Nagaland	1	70.00	4	110.00	0	0.00	4	59.79	7	174.00
16.	Orissa	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	15.50
17.	Punjab	0	0.00	2	55.71	8	242.60	8	148.13	1	10.00
18.	Rajasthan	1	4.50	2	4.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	10.00
19.	Tamil Nadu	0	0.00	1	15.00	1	16.473	1	50.00	2	67.623
20.	Tripura	0	0.00	1	70.58	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
21.	Uttar Pr.	1	15.00	0	0.00	1	0.50	2	32.58	0	0.00
22.	West Bengal	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.493	1	10.00	1	8.00
Total		30	250.526	28	444.557	34	666.554	38	624.058	52	828.201